



IN PARLIAMENTO

EXCELENTISSIMI, AC POTENTISSIMI PRIN-
cipis Iacobi, eius nominis sexti, dei gratia Scotorum Regis Illustrissi-
mi, tento & inchoato apud Sterlingum in pretorio eiusdem die 28. Au-
gusti. Anno Do. Millelmo, quingentesimo, septuagesimo primo, ac anno
Regni eiusdem quinto: per Charissimum suum Auum, quondam Ma-
thæum Comitem de Lennox, Dominum Dernie, &c. Et dicti S. D. N.
Regis, Regni, ac legiorum Regentem, presentibus tribus Regni statibus
Finito & absoluto, die septimo Septembris proxime sequenti, per Ioanne
quondam Comitem Mar, Dominum Erskin, &c. Et dictis S. D. N. Regis,
Regni, ac legiorum, pro tempore Regentem, presentibus dictis tribus Reg-
ni statibus. Quæ sequuntur acta & constitutiones conclusæ & sanctæ
sunt, ut leges postea obseruandæ.

Anent the Nomination, Electioun, Acceptation, and Approbation,
of my Lord of Mar in Regent. Cap. i.



IT IS fund, declarit, and decrevit be our Souerane
Lord with auise of the thre Estates, & haill bodyn of
this present Parliament that the nomination, consti-
tutioun, electioun, & ordinatioun of the Nobill and
michtie Lord Johne Erle of Mar, Lord Erskin, &c.
in Regent to our Souerane Lord, this his Realme &
liegis thairof, during the time of his Maiesties Minorite, and les
age, specifpit and expressit in the Quene his heines Motheris let-
teris vnder hir subscriptioun and preuie seill of pe dait the xxiiij. day
of Iulij the xxiij. of God ane thousand fyue hundred thre score seuen
yeiris. Togidder alswa with the consent, and approbatioun of the
Erlis, Lordis Prelatis, Commissaris of Burrowis, Barounis, &
vtheris faithfull subiectis conuenit and assemblit to that effect. And
the Acceptacioun of the said office of Regentie be the said Erle of
Mar vpon the vi. day of September instant, was, is and in all time
comynge salbe haldin, repute, and estenit lanchfull, sufficient, and
perfite. And all, and quhatsumeuer thingis quhilkis he hes done
be vertew of his said office of Regentrie sen his acceptacioun chair-
of, or quhilkis he sall do heirefter in our said souerane Lordis name
and Authorite, during the time of his heines Minorite, Specifpit
in the said Commission, To be als deuyl, lauchfull, sufficient,
and richeously done and to haue als gret auaill streich, force and
effect in all respectis & conditionis as ony thing done be quhat-
sumeuer Regentis Gouvernouris or Protectouris of this Realme in
the Minoriteis, and les ages of ony vtheris native Princes of the
Lane. And ratifuis, approuis, and confirmis the same nomination,

A. ij.

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fectioun, constitutioun, & acceptatioun for now & in tyme cuming.

Matificatioun, and approbation of the Actis, and statutis maid of befoir, anent the fredome, and libertie of the crewe Kirk of God. Cap. v.

I T E M Edm^t Souerane Lord with auise, and consent of his said Regent, the Estates, & haill body of this present parliament hes ratifit, and be this present Act ratifis and approuis all and quhatsumeuer actis, and statutis maid of befoir be our Souerane Lord, or his Predecessoris anent the fredome & libertie of the crewe Kirk of God and religioun now pnblietlie professit within this Realme.

Anexe Alienatiounis, Resignatiounis, and vtheris maid, or to be maid be ony personis conuict, or that shall happen to be conuict of the slauchteris of our Souerane Lordis Father or Regentis. Cap. vi.

I T E M It is detinut, and declarit be our Souerane Lord, with auise of my Lord Regentis grace, and the statutis, that all Alienatiounis, Resignatiounis, dimissiounis, and vtheris disfelicitiounis quhatsumeuer maid, or to be maid be ony personis, or personis conuict, or that heirefter shall happen in ony wise to be conuict, or forfaltit for airt and part of the tressonabil^t slauchteris, and slauchteris of vnguhile our Souerane Lordis detinut Father, or Regentis of quhatsumeuer landis, heritageis, of fices, Benefices, towmes, or possessionis, sen the times Respective, of the committing thereof, ne, and salbe null of them selfis and of mane maner, strench, force, nor effect in all times cumming with all that followit, or shall happen to follow therupon.

Anent the vassallis and seruementis of sic as ar forfaltit in this Parliament. Ca. viii.

I T E M It is statute, ordanit, and declarit in plane Parliament be our Souerane Lord, with auise and consent of his said Regent, the Estates, and haill body of this present Parliament, That all personis, our Souerane Lordis crewe & faithfull subiectis quhilk hes seruit, and seruis his hienes in mantenace of his authorite, haung landis, heritage, anuelrentis, lyfretis, pensionis, or possessionis quhatsumeuer haldin of ony personis callit and forfaltit in this present Parliament of quhatsumeuer tymeis of tresson, and lesemaistrie, sal bruik & Jois thair tenandrieis quhas saltheuer, notwithstanding ye forfaltit of thair Superioris thair of. And yald the samis of thair nirt Immediat Superior:

PROVIDING alwapis, pat in case ony of the saidis Vassellis, or vtheris that shall happen to claime ony benefite be vertew of this Act, at ony tyme heirefter mak defectionis fra our Souerane Lordis Authoritie,

James the Sixt. fol. iij

Authoritie, and obedience, or run in the contrair thairof, that thay
nor man of thame shall haue, nor bruyk the privilege and benefite of
this present Act, and the samyn shall na wylle be extendit unto thame.

Anent landis, towmes, and possessionis haldin of Freiris, or Nunis
within thiss Realme. Cap. v.

I T E M Forsamekylle as thair ar divers liegis, and subiectis
of this Realme quhilkis hes lindrie landis, towmes,
and possessionis obtenuit be thame, or thair predecessoris, in few, &
heritage of the Bxouriis or Proporessis motheris, and Conuencis of
lindrie Freiris, and Nunis places within this Realme, haldin of
them and their successoris. And now sen the Reformatioun of Re-
ligioun the saidis superioris ar for the maist part deceissit, and na
utheris placit, nor to be placit in thair towmes, swa that within
schort space thay shall all decap, quhairthow the airis of the saidis
fewaris, and utheris heritabill tennentis of the saidis places, shall get
na entrie to thair landis & heritage haldin of Freiris and Nunis.
For remed thairof, it is statute and ordanit in this present Parlia-
ment, that all personis, fewaris, or heritabill tennentis of sic Freis-
is, and Nunis places, And thair airis after the deces, decap or in-
laik of thair said superioris, haldin, and shall hald thair fewaris, and
tenandris of the samyn of our Souerane Lord, and his successoris
in all times cumming sylpk, and als frehp as thay held pe samyn of
the places foirsaidis, Bxouriis, Proporessis, or utheris being thairis
for the time. And the fewallis, services, and deuteis specifit, and
conuenit in thair Infeftmentis to pertene to our Souerane Lord &
his successoris to be intromettit, vptakin, and disponit at thair ple-
sure. And that the airis of pe saidis fewaris, and heritabill tennen-
tis foirsaidis shall enter to thair fewaris and tenandris be breuis of
our Souerane Lordis Chapell sylpk, & als frehp, and in the samyn
maner as the fewaris, & heritabill tennentis of our Souerane Lor-
dis propertie in all times cumming.

Anent the fredome and privilegeis of Burrowis. Cap. vi.

I T E M Our Souerane Lord be anse, and consent of his said
Regent, and thre Estatis foirsaidis, ratifis, appre-
nis and confirmis all and lindrie auld Actis, and statutis maid of
befoir, anent the fredome and privilegeis of Burrowis.

Anent Alienationis, Resignationis, & utheris dispositiounis maid and
geuin be ony personis, Burgessis, and Inhabitantis of Edinburgh or
ony utheris Burrowis within this Realme that hes maid defecjoun
of the Kingis Authoritie. Cap. vii.

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ITEM Our Souerane Lord with auise, and consent of his
said Regent, thre Estates, and haill body of this pres-
sent Parliament hes statute, ordonit, decernit, and declarit that all
and sindrie Alienaciounis, Resignaciounis, and vtheris dispositi-
ounis quhatsumeuer maid, and gewin in ony wise be ony personis
Burgessis, or Inhabitantis within the Burgh of Edinburgh, or
onyp vcheris Burrowis of this Realme quhilkis hes maid defecti-
oun fra our Souerane Lordis Authoritie, and assitit, and takin
part with the conspiracouris, declarit tratouris to ony personi, or
personis sen the committing of the saidis crumes be thame, or ony
of thame of quhatsumeuer thair landis, heritageis, offices, takkis,
fledingis, rownes, or possessionis quhatsumeuer: Be and salbe in
time cumming null in thame selfis, & of nane auail, strenth, force,
nor effect.

ITEM It is statute and ordanit be our Souerane Lord his Regent foysaid, the thre Estatis, & haill bbdyn of this present Parliament, that na Schippis pas furth of pis Reame to the Reame of France, or oþer vþheris partis without our Souerane Lordis Coquet. And that na Coquet nor vþher preue wþþing be purchest or takin of our Souerane Lordis Mother, his pretendant Lieutenantis, or oþer in his Name in na tyme cumming vnder the paine of escheting of all sic Schippis, and haill gudis being thairin, & the personis haifariss away of the saidis Schippis or purchessaris; and takaris of the said Coquettis, or vþheris wþþingis foysandis as said is: To be puneist in thair personis, and gudis with all rigour.

HORSAMEKLE As albeit the treuth, and constan-
cie of Herauldis, Maistaris, and vtheris Officiaris
beiring Names, aucht to be vsuspect, or violat, and
notwithstanding that all our Souerane Lordis lie-
gis beiring that charge and office hes publicly pro-
fessit his hienes obedience, and diners of thame crea-
tit be his Maiestis Authoritie sen his hienes Coronatioun. To
quhome than haue sworne, and promptlie thair allegiance, Zit as
it is certainlie understandit to my Lord Regentis grace, the thre E-
statis, and haill bodyl of this present Parliament, Peter Thom-
soun Ilap Herauld, Adame Makculloch Merchmont Herauld,
John

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John Forman Rothesay Herauld, Alexander Forrester Carrile Pursuivant, Alexander Makculloch Ormond Pursuivant, Willame Mailluile, Thomas Creichtoun, Willame Purves Maillaris, Thomas Barry, Willame Barry pretendit Ettrik Pursuivantis or Messingeris, Thomas Young Messinger, with divers vtheris Herauldis, Maillaris, Pursuantis, and Messingers of Armes neglectad thair faithis, & aithis maid, pe honour of thair office and allegiance aucht to our Souerane Lord: hes wilfull, and rebelliously castin of thair detful obedience: and tressonabillie, not only accompanavit the declarit tratouris, rebellis, and conspiratouris aganis our Souerane Lordis Authoritie (now being within the Castell and Burgh of Edinburgh) bot als in proper persounis displapit thair coittis of Armes, bure thair Maisses, and vtherwys fortifit, assistit, and tuke plane part with thame in thair lait treasonabil, pretendit, and arrogant procedingis to the depriuatioun of our Souerane Lord from his Kopall, Crowne and Authoritie. And by Lord Regentis grace, and thre Estatis foirsaidis Considering the plane, and manifest defectioun of pe Herauldis Maillaris Pursuantis, and Messingeris abone written from thair sworne faith and detful obedience being persounis quhilkis abone all vtheris subiectis be dewtie of thair offices aucht to haue bene Inuiolable, trew, and constant. And consideringe lykewise that the persounis foirsaidis being admonischt, and requyrit be letteris of vnquhile our Souerane Lordis derrest Gudschtir, and Regent, To withdraw thame selfis furth of the said Burgh of Edinburgh, and to cum & attend vpon thair offices not only abstractit thame selfis, lichely, and & contempnand the said admonisiosi, and charge: bot reuillit the persoun of the Messinger namit Stevin Scorp, and be thair default causit him be apprehendit be the saidis declarit tratouris, rebellis and conspiratouris and be put in vple presoun & strait thralldome. ¶ **THAIR FOIR** our Souerane Lord with auise of his said Regent, thre Estatis, & haill body of this present Parliament hes declarit, & be this present Act declaris, that the persounis abone written, and all vtheris Herauldis, Maillaris, Pursuantis, and Messingeris of Armes, quhilkis ar culpabill of the crimes abone specifit hes, Ipsi facto, tyme thair offices of Armes, decernand thair saidis offices presentlly be vertew of this Act to baik, and thay and euerie ane of thame to be estemit as Infame persounis heirefter, and to be vsit and demandit as accordis of the Law, dischageing the Thesaurer, Comptroller present, and to cum of all payment making to the saidis Herauldis, Maillaris, Pursuantis Messingeris, and all vtheris Ordinar Officiaris outhir within the Burgh, or Castell of Edinburgh presently, of thair accustomit feis and deuiseis restand awand of ony zeiris or termes bygane or intime cuming.

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decerning alswa all execuicounis to be maid be the saidis Officaris of Armes in times cumming null in thame self, Invalide, and of nane effect in all times to cum.

Ament the escheittis of the personis cummin to the Kingis obedience. Ca. v.

I T E M Forsamekle as the commoun quietnes, and weill of this Realme can not be mair hinderit nor be the continuance of the Inward troublis, & Ciuite dissensioun that sa lang hes lesteit within the same, and as it is Godly, and for the weill of pe Kingis Maiestie, and the commoun weill to remuse, and put away all occasiounis of discord, sa in particular it is chocht conuenient be my Lord Regentis grace, & thre Estatis, and haill body of vis present Parliament, That the escheittis, and gudis of the personis now cummin to his hienes obedience, That is to say, Archibald Erle of Argyle, Lord Campbell and Lorne. &c. New Erle of Eglintoun, Lord Montgomerie. &c. Gilbert Erle of Cassillis, Lord kennedy. &c. Robert Lord Boyd, thair kyn, freindis, men, tenentis, seruandis and btheris specifit, and contenit in thair Remissiounis gratitit, and to be grantit to thame for the crymes contenit thairin, fall rest, reis, and na wyse be vptakin be his Maiestie his Thesaurer, or be the personis donatouris thairto, for ony cryme obiectit to thame in the commoun caus of resyning his hienes Authoritie, & not obeying and seruing the same in time bygane sen his hienes Coronacioun or for ony caus, or cryme depending thairon. And thairforit is statute ordanit, & declarit be my said Lord Regentis grace, with auise of the saidis thre Estatis, and haill body of this present Parliament. That the escheittis of the saidis personis now cumming to the obedience of the Kingis Maiestie, our Souerane Lord in respect of commoun quietnes to be had heirester, and eschewing of all occasiounis of discord, fall remans with the saidis personis present possessouris, and awmeris of the saidis escheittis, notwithstanding pe said cryme of pe commoun caus of resyning our Souerane Lordis Authoritie, and not obeying, and seruing the same in time bygane, sen his hienes Coronacioun or ony caus or cryme depending thairon, or ony proces led aganis the saidis personis thairforit in time bygane. The effect quhairof, be vertew and authoritie of this present Act, is decernit & declarit to be vopde, & of nane auail, strenth, force, nor effect heirester, without ony proces of speciall reduction, or bther declaracioun to follow thairupon. And lykewise it is decernit, and declarit that all gudis and detis ordourly, and lauchfully Introuettit with, be vertew of the saidis giftis of escheittis in time bygane befoir the dait heirof, fall remane with the donatouris in time cumming. And in like maner all panis and vnlawis for non-encering of the saidis personis now cummin to ye Kingis obediēce,

to vnderly

James the Sixt. fol. 6

to baderly the Law in time bygane for materis tuicheing the said comoun caus of resisting his hienes Authoritie or depending thereon, at simpliciter dischargeit be bener of this present Act.

Anent Kirkmen that happinnis to be slane in our Souerane Lordis service in defence of his hienes Authoritie. Cap. vi.

I T E M Our Souerane Lord with auise of my said Lord Regentis grace, thre Estatis, and haill body of this present Parliament hes statute and ordanit that in case ony our Souerane Lordes crew legis beneficit men happinnis to be hurt, slane, or woundit to the deid, and thairefter of the saidis hurtis, or woundis to die in our Souerane Lordis service, & in defence of his Authoritie at ony time aganis the forfaltit and declarit traitouris, presentlie being within the Castell and Burgh of Edinburgh and btheris his Maistrieis oppin and manifest enemeis, resisteris and co-spiracouris aganis his hienes Authoritie, during all the time of the oppin and manifest resistance thairto: That the neirest of the said Beneficit menis kyn, abill and qualifit shall haue the presentacion, prouision and collacion of his Benefice for that time allannerlie. And the samyn to be disponit to the neirest of his kyn that happinnis to be slane, or deceis in maner so itsaid, being alwas abill and qualifit therefore, as said is. And the profits of their Benefices, with the feutis speciallie on the ground, with the annas thairefter, to pertene to thame, and their executors as well Abbotis, Proprietis, as all bther Kirkmen.

Anent the waerd, Releif, and Marriage of thame that shall happen to be slane in our Souerane Lordis service in defence of his Maistrieis Authoritie. Cap. vi.

I T E M My Lord Regentis grace with auise of the thre Estatis, and haill body of this present Parliament hes statute and ordanit, that in case ony Erlis, Lordis, Barrounis, frehalders, landit men, gentilmen or ony bther person, or personis shall happen to be slane, hurt, or woundit to the deid, and thairefter of the saidis hurtis to die at ony time in defence of our Souerane Lordis Authoritie, aganis certane his forfaltit and declarit traitouris, presentlie being within the Castell and Burgh of Edinburgh, and btheris his Maistrieis oppin and manifest enemeis, resisteris and co-spiracouris aganis his hienes Authoritie, during all the time of the oppin and manifest resistance thairto: That thair air, or ait, shall haue thair Waerd, nonenteris, Releif, and mariage free of our Souerane Lord, dispensand with thair minoritie & les age, quhat eild that erer thay be of: without payment of ony reppid penyn, or bther profite thairfoir. And sylphe, of all btheris Lordis Spicciuall and temporal, baith of Vassallis and subuassal.

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1.10. **I**tem. **P**ROVIDING that the airis foirsaidis perle w and oþre
tene entres of thair ouerlordis, within thre termes after the deceis
of thair Fatheris, or quhatsumeuer vther personis, quhome to
thay ar to succeed, for the causis foirsaidis. And gif the saidis airis
be of les age, within Tuteorie, and beis not enterit to thair landis
and heritage befoir thair age of xiiij. zeiris, quhilk may be throu
negligence of thair Tuteorie, and vtheris thair friendis. **G**OV R
SO V E R A N E L O R D pruilegis, and grantis to thame that
thay may enter, within thre termes next after thair compleit age of
xiiij. zeiris, as said is, and this to be extendit to the Mediat Air pat
is to succeed to the personis pat happenis to deceis, during the time
& in maner foirsaid. And becaus it may happen the personis, or per
sonis that happenis to deceis in this maner, and during the time
foirsaid, to haue ma lauchfull barnis of thair bodyis by the Air,
Thairfoir ordanis that thaprofite of the Laird landis be cane by
be thair Motheris (gif thair be na Tuteorie Testamentaris) als
lang as scho remanis Wedow; & failzeing therof be the neirest, &
lauchfull Tuteorie of the saidis barnis, to be distributit to the su
stentacioun of the Air, and to the vtilite and profite of the remanet
his brether, and sisteris to the perfite age of the said Airis or Airis.
That is to say, gif the Airis be Maill of xij. zeiris, and gif thay be
Femaill of xiiij. zeiris, the profite of the said Airis Marriage bring
ay fre to him self. The Mother, Tuteorie, or Gouverneur findand
sufficient Cautioun befoir the Lordes, that thay shall mak compt,
rekning, and payment of thair Intrumission befoir the Lordis of
Counsell, or in the Checker zeirlie. And gif the Airis of the perso
nis that happenis to die, as said is, haue ony Servis, that thay
enter siclike to thair few landis haldin of quhatsumeuer personis
Spirituall, or Temporall within the termes foirsaidis, without
onypayment of the dowlble of the few.

Ancient possessionis. Cap. 5th.

ITEM. Our Souerane Lord, with auise of my said Lord
Regentis grace, thre Estatis, and haill body of this
present Parliament hes statute, and ordanit, that in case ony Erle,
Lord, Barrow, Frehalder, Vassell, subvassell, Stewartis, Maillaris,
Takkismen, Tennentis, Rentallaris, possessouris, or Comounis
happinnis to be hurt, slane, or woundit to the deid, & thairefter of
the saidis hurtis, or woundis to die in our souerane Lordis seruice,
and in defensie of his Authoritie at ony time, aganis certane his fo
saltit, and declarit traitouris (presentlie being within the Castell and
Burgh of Edinburgh) & vtheris his Maiestatis oppon, & manifest
enemesis, resistaris, & conspiratouris aganis his hienes Authoritie,
during all the tyme of the onyp & manifest resistice thairto: pat thair
Airis, creu-

James the Sext. fol. vi

executouris, or assignaris, shall frelie haue thair awin Wairdis Re³ leifis, and Mariages in their awin handis, to be disponit thereon as they shall think expedient. And siclike their wifis, barnis, executouris, or assignaris, shall bruke their Takkis, Stedingis, Rowmes, and Possessiounis asweill of Kirklandis, as Temporall mennis landis, and enter thereto, and remane therewith frelie, for the space of five yeiris without ony Gressum, or entrie siluer: Payand alane lie Maillis, and dewteis v- sit and wount. And this Act asweill to extend vpon Kirkmennis, as Temporall mennis Vassellis, as vpon our Souerane Lordis.

Extrahum de libro Actorum Parliamenti Per me Magistrum
Iacobum Makgill de Rankelour nether Clericum
Rotulorum Registri ac consilij S.D.N.
Regis, sub meis signo, & subscriptio-
tione Manualibus.

Jacobus Makgill



What's next?

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IN THE PARLIAMENT.

HALDIN AT EDINBURGH THE XXVI. DAY OF
Januar the zeir of God ane thousand, fyue hundred, thre score twelf zeir
is. Thir Lawis, statutes and Constitutiounis, ar deuysit, concludit, statute,
and ordanit be the richt hie, Excellent, and Michtie Prince, and our Souerane Lord, I A M E S the sext, be the grace of God, K I N G of
SCOTTI S: with auise, and consent of ane Nobill, and Michtie Lord, and his richt traist Cousing, James Erle of Mortoun, Lord Dalkeith, &c. Regent to his Maiestie, his
Realme, and liegis: and thre Estatis of this Realme,
Assemblit and conuenit to that effect. Of the
quhilkis Lawis and Constitutiounis
the Tennouris followis.

Anent the approbation and confirmation of the Regiment. Cap. i.

IHE Quhilk day it is fundin, declarit, and decernit be our Souerane Lord, with auise of the thre Estatis, and haill body of this present Parliament, that the Nominatioun, Constitutioun, Electioun, and Ordinatioun of the Nobill, and Michtie Lord, James Erle of Mortoun, Lord Dalkeith, &c. In Regent to our Souerane Lord his Realme, and liegis thairof, during the time of his Maiesties Minoritie, and les age. Togidder with the consent, and Approbacioun of the Erlis, Lordis, Prelattis, Commissionaris of Burrowis, Barrounis, and uther faichfull subiectis conuenit and assemblit to that effect. And the Acceptatioun of the said office of Regentrie be the said James Erle of Mortoun upon the xxvij. day of Nouember last by past, was, is, and in all time cuming salbe haldin, repute, and estemit lauchfull, sufficient, and perfite. And all, and quhatsumeuer thingis quhilkis he hes done be vertew of his said office of Regentrie sen his Acceptatioun thairof, or quhilkis he sall do heirefter in our Souerane Lordis name and authoritie, during the time of his hienes Minoritie to be als dewly, lauchfull, sufficiently, and richteously done, and to haue als greit auaill, strengh, force, and effect in all respectis, and conditiounis as ony thing done be quhatsumeuer Regentis, Gouernouris or Protectouris of this Realme, in pe minoriteis and les ages of ony utheris native Princes of the samin. Quhilkis confirmacioun, Nominatioun, Electioun, Constitutioun, Acceptatioun, Actis and proceedingis. Our said Souerane, with auise, and consent of the saidis thre Estatis, and haill body of this present Parliament, ratfis, approvis and confirmes for now and in all time cumming.

The actis of King

Anent the trew and haly Kirk. Cap. vi.

ITEM Forsamekle as thair was ane Act maid in the Par-
liament haldin in the first zeir of our soverane Lord
dis Regent, that now is Intitulat Anent the trew and haly Kirk,
and of thame that ar declarit not to be of the same Kirk. Quhill
Act our Souerane Lord, with auise and consent of my Lord Regen-
tis grace the thre Estatis and haill body of this present Parliament,
ratifis approuis, and for his hienes, and his Successouris perpe-
tually confirmis. And seing the Education of our Souerane Lord
is in the trew Religion of Jesus Christ, and that the samyn Religi-
oun be Lawis and Actis of Parliament maid in his hienes Regne
is establischt: and that it is baith godly, and expedient, that all his
hienes subiectis worship the only trew God, in the vniormitie of
Religion and his hienes obedience. **C**HAIR FOIR it is
statute, and ordanit be our said Souerane, with auise of his said
Regent, the thre Estatis and haill body of this present Parliament,
that the lauchfull Archebischoppis, Bischoppis, Superintendantis,
and Commissionaris of the Dioceis, and Provinces of this Re-
alme, be thame selfis, and the Ministeris and Reidaris seruing at
the Kirkis within thair chargis, Respective, with all diligence, efter
the publication of this present Act, note the Names of the perso-
nis asweill men as wemen suspect to be Papistis, or that hes not
communicat with the Sacramentis, as thay ar now trewly mi-
nistret in the Reformit Kirkis of this Realme, and with the lyke
diligence lauchfullie admonischt thame according to the ordour of
the Kirk. And in case thay be furth of the Realme, vpon thre score
days warning to recant thair Papisticall errouris, gif the Con-
fessiouin of thair faith according to the forme approuit in our Sou-
erane Lordis Parliament be participant with the Sacramentis,
and submit thame selfis to the discipline of the trew Kirk, within
certane resonabill space, vnder the pane of Excommunicatioun.
And gif they failze, to pronounce the sentence of Excommunicatioun
agains thame. And in case of the contumacie, and none comperace
of ony persounis swa admonischt. Or compeirand, gif they refuse
to obey the admonicioun, Or quha hes returnit to their errouris af-
ter thair Confessiouin anis gewin, That euerie lauchful Archibisop
Bischop, Superintendent or Commissionar present ane Roll, and
Catolog of the Names of the disobedientis, obstinat, or relaps per-
sonis to our Souerane Lord, and his Regent betwix and the first
day of Julis next to cum, to the effect that the samyn may be Im-
prentit, diuulgat, and affirit on the Tolbuth of Edinburgh, and
vtheris Tolbuthis, and publict places of Judgement within this
Realme, vnder the panis following: That is to say, euerie Archi-
bischop,

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bischop, or Bischop that salbe found remis, or negligent therin, by the generall Assembly of the Kirk vnder the paine of trespasse of the frutes of his Benefits for ane zeir, to our Souerane Lordis use, and euerie Superintendent or Commissioner vnder the paine of trespasse of his Stipend for ane zeir alswa to our Souerane Lordis use, and removing of him furch of his office, and placing of ane other maie diligent chairm. And that the disobedient, obstinate, and relapsing persons to be content in the said Catalog (after the publication thereof) salbe haldin, repute, and estemid Infamous, and unabill to sit, or stand in Judgement, presew, heire office, noa falle not be admittit as preuis, witnessis, or Assysouris aganis ony professing the true Religioun, ap and quhill they haue recounfessit them selfis to the true Kirk, submittting them selfis to the discipline thereof; and obtene Testimoniall therupon, quhilk Inabilitie being galledgert, aganis ony Judges principall, or deputis, members of Court, Of- ficiaris, partieis, or Procuratouris, personis of Inquest or witnessis, salbe relevant exceptioun of the Law to declinem them fra Judgement, Office, presuite, Procuratioun, Inquest, or beiring witness, without they then presenlie produce sufficient Testimoniall, wit- nessing them to be ressauit as members of the true Kirk. As al- swa the depute of the Judge principall, quha is the Excommunicate, or the Procuratour quha will compair for the Excommunicate shall not be sufferit to proced, nor hard in Judgement (the Excom- municatioun being opponit, and veresfit aganis the maker of the depute, or constituent of the procuratour) except that the principall be quhome they proced, or use their Procuratioun, first be ressauit to the Kirk, and haue sufficient Testimoniall therupon. And that the said exceptioun be not admittit aganis ony quhilk shall not be speciallie comprehendit in the said Catalog. And in case the Judge proced notwithstanding the said exceptioun, the sam being ianch- fullie proponit, and ratifit be the Catalog foursaid, sic contemptuous proceding testifpit be ane Instrument, and productit befor the Lordis of Counsall, salbe ane sufficient caus of suspensioun, and discharge of the execucioun of the decretit to be geyn in that mater.

¶ That the aduersaris of Christis Euangell shall not Joy the patrimonie of the Kirk. Cap. viii.

I T E M Forasmekle as the conseruatioun, and purgacioun of the Religioun cheiflie pertenis to the Cristiane, & godlie Kingis, Princes, Kewlaris, and Magistratis: and that it is maist requisite pat the Kirk within this Realme be seruit be godlie personis, of sound Religioun, obedient to the Authoritie of the Kingis Maiestie our Souerane Lord. **C I T I S** thairfoir conclusit, statute, and ordanit be his Maiestie, with auise of his said Re-

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gent, the Estatis and haill bodie of this present Parliament: That
everie persoun, quha sall preceud to be ane Minister of GODDIS
word, and Sacramentis: Or quha presencis dois, or sall pretend
to haue, and bruyk ony Benefice, use of frutes, stipend, pensionoun, or
portionoun furth of Benefice, and ar not alredie vnder the discipline
of the trew Kirk, & participatis not with the Sacramentis thair-
of, sall in the presence of the Archibischop, Superintendent, or Com-
missionar of the Diorie or Province quhair he hes, or sall haue the
Ecclesiastical leuing, gif his assent, and subscribe the Articklis of
Religioun, content in the Actis of our Souerane Lordis Parlia-
ment, and gif hisaith for acknawlegeing, and recognosting of our
Souerane Lord, and his Authoritie, and sall bring ane Testimoni-
all in wyrting therupon. And oppinie, on su Sonday in time of
Hermone, or publick Prayeris in the Kirk, quhair be resoun of his
Ecclesiastical leuing he aught to attend, or of the frutes quhairof
he ressuuis commodicie, reid baith the Testimoniall, and Confessio:
and of new make the said withiin the space of ane Moneth efter
the publication of this present Act. And gif he be furth of the Re-
alme within thre letois dapis efter the publication heirof. And in
time cuming, within ane Moneth efter his admissionoun, vnder the
pane that everie persoun that sall not do as is abone appointit, sall
be, Ipsi facto, depryuit, and all his Ecclesiastical promotionis, &
leuing salbe vacand, as gif he war than naturallie deid. And gif
ony persoun Ecclesiastall, or quhilk sall haue Ecclesiastical leu-
ing, sall wilfullie mantene ony doctrine directlie contrarie or repug-
nant to ony of the saidis Articklis: and being conuenit and callit,
as folowis, sall persist therin, and not reuoke his errour, or after
his Reuocatioun, sall of new affirme sic batteis doctrine, sic man-
tening, affirming, and persisting, salbe Just caus to deprive him of
his Ecclesiastical leuing. And it salbe lauchfull to thame befoir
quhome he is callit and conuenit, to deprive him. Quhilk sentence
of deprivatioun pronouncit, he salbe depryuit in deid and his leuing
vacand, as gif he war naturallie deid. And that all Archibischoppis,
Bischoppis, Superintendents, Possessouris, or Titularis of
Prelaceis be callit, and conuenit for this effect, befoir the generall
Assemblie of the Kirk, and all Inferior personis befoir the Archi-
bischoppis, Bischoppis, Superintendents, or Commissionaris of
the Diorcis, or Provinces within the quhilkis they dwell.

Anent the disobedientis quhilkis salbe recessit to our Souerane Lordis
mercie and pardoun. Cap. iii.

ITEM forsamekly as thair hes bein gteit Rebelliouin, and
disobedience aganis our Souerane Lordis Antho-
ritie in time hppast, and seing the caus of GODDIS tred Religioun
and

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and his hienes Authoritie foirsaid ar sa Iognit, as the hurt of the
ane, is commoun to baith. **C**IT I S thairfoir declarit statute, and
ordanit be our Souerane Lord with auise and consent of my Lord
Regentis grace, with the thre Estatis, and haill bodie of this pre-
sent Parliament, That nane salbe repute as Lopall, and faithfull
subiectis to our said Souerane Lord, or his Authoritie, bot be pu-
neisabill, as Rebellaris, and gane standaris of the samin, quhilk
sall not gif thair Confessioun, and mak thair professioun of the said
trew Religioun, and that all sic as makis professioun thereof, and
ziches maid defectioun fra thair dew obedience aucht to our Soue-
rane Lord, salbe admonischt be the Pastouris and Ministeris of
the Kirk, to acknawledge thair offence, and returne to thair detfull
obedience, and gif thay failze thairin, to be excommunicat and se-
cludit from the societie of the Kirk as rebellious and Corrupt mem-
bers betuix and the first day of Junij nirt to cum. And that alwayis
befoir sic persounis as hes maid defectioun be ressauit to our Soue-
rane Lordis mercy and fauour, thay shall gif the Confessioun of
thair Faith of new, and promeis to contine in the Confessioun
of the trew Religioun in time cumming, mantene our Souerane
Lordis authoritie: and that thay shall at the vttermest of thair pow-
er fortifie assit, and mantene the trew Preicheouris and professour-
is of Christis Religioun, aganis quhatsumeuer enemeis, and gane-
standaris of the samin, and namele aganis all sic of quhatsumeuer
Nacioun, estait, or degré thay be of, that hes Iognit, & bünd thame
selfis, or hes assitit, or assitit to set fordwart and execute the cruell
decreittis of the Counsell of Trent (quhilk maist Inuriouslie is
callit be the aduersareis of Goddis treuth, the halp league) contrair
the Preicheouris and trew Professouris of the word of G O D.

The explanation of the Act maid anent Mansis and Glebis. Cap. v.

O R S A M E K L E As be act of Parliament haldin
and begune at Edinburgh the Feird day of Junij,
the zeir of G O D ane thousand, fyue hundreth, thre
score thre zeiris, It was statute, and ordanit, that na
persone, Vicar, nor vther Ecclesiasticall persoun suld
set in few, or lang Takkis ony of thait Mansis, or
Glebis perteneng to the Kirkis. And also that thay that ar ap-
pointit, or to be appointit to serue or Minister at ony Kirk within
this Realme suld haue the principall Mans of the Persone or Vi-
car: or sa mekle thereof as could be fund sufficient for staiking of
thame to the effect that thay may the better await upon the charge
appointit, or to be appointit to thame: quhidder the saidis Glebis
war set in few, or Tak of befoir, or not: or that ane resonabill and
sufficient hous war biggit to thame bespde the Kirk be the Persone

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or Vicar, or btheris hauand the saidis Mansis in Few, or lag Tak-
kis. And farther, ix mekle land to be annexit to the saidis dwelling
places of thame that seruis, or Ministeris at the Kirk, as thairester
with gude auisement suld be appointit like as the said Act at mair
lenth proporsis. Quhilk being in dimeris partis doutfull and in-
certane, na gude execution hes followit thereupon in time bypast.

THAIR FOIR our Souerane Lord, with auise of my Lord
Regentis grace, the thre Estates, and haill body of this present Par-
liament, Findis, and declaris, that the Mansis outhir pertening
to the Personis, or Vicar maist ewest to the Kirk, and maist commo-
dicous for dwelling, pertenis and sall pertene to the Minister, or Re-
dar seruing at the samyn Kirk: Togidder with four Acres of land
of the Gleib at leist, lyand contigue, or maist ewest to the said Mans,
gif thair be sa mekle. And failzeing thereof, sa mekle as thair is, to
be markit, and speciallie designit be the Archibischop, Bisshop,
Superintendent, or Commissionar of the Diccie, or Province the
time of thair next visitatioun, be the auise of ony twa of ye maist ho-
nest, and godlie of the Parochiunaris quhilkis he sall require (not
being possessouris of the saidis Mansis or Gleibis thame selfis) to
ycopne with him in execution heirof quhidder the saidis Mansis
and Glebis be set in Few, or Takkis of befoir, or not. And upon
the said marking and designation the Archibischop, Bisshop Su-
perintendent, or Commissionar, sall gif his Testimoniall, beiring,
how he with auise of sic twa of the Parochiunaris hes visite the
Mans and Gleib of sic ane Kirk, and findis the samyn occupit be
sic personis. And that thay hane appointit, markit, and designit
the said Mans with four Acres, or sic quantitie of land adiacent
thereto, to the use of the Minister, or Reidar that sall serue, and Mi-
nister at the said Kirk in time cuming. And upon the Minister or
Reidar's supplication, quhair withall the said Testimoniall sall
be presentit to the Lordis of Counsall, Letteris salbe direct, charge-
ing the occupparis, and possessouris of the saidis Mansis & Acres
of land quhidder the samyn be set in Few or Takkes of befoir, or
not, to remise, desist, and ceis thairfra and enter the said Minister,
or Reidar to the possession of the samyn within ten dapis vnder ye
pane of Rebellioun, and gif thay failze to put thame to the horne.
And in case thay be denuncieit, letteris of Captioun & btheris Exe-
cutorialis to be direct vpon thame, according to the Lawis of this
Realme. Quhilkis Mansis and Acres of land sa markit and de-
signit, as said is, it sall not be lesun to the Ministeris, or Reidaris
present, or to cum, to sell, annalie, set in Few, or Takkis, or to put
on in possession of the samyn, in prejudice of thair successour: bot
the samyn to remane alwapis fre to the use & eisment of sic as salbe
admitit to serue, & minister at the said Kirk. And quhair ony per-
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sounis vpon presence of Fewis or Takkis obtenuit of Mansis or Glebis his maid suptruous biggingis thereon fra the quhilikis p[er] will think heuie to be dispossessit, or remouit, that than the Archibishop Bisshop Superintendent or Commissioner the time of chait visitacioun travell to aggre the Fewar or Tarmar & the Minister or Reidar, Be delþuering to the samin Minister or Reidar of ane uther Mans quhilik salbe als gude and ewest as the uther, be Just estimacioun the time pat it was set in Few, or Takkis: to be biggit betwix this and the first day of October next to cum togidder alswa with certane Acres of lād adiacent thereto in maner foursaid, for eschewing of debait and contentioan. Bot gif the Fewar, or Tarmar refusis willinglie to condiscend to the samin, than the executioun to proceed for remouing fra the principal Mans and sa mony Acres of land as is befoir specified notwithstanding ony biggingis maid, or to be maid thereupon. Prouding alwapis, pat sa mekle of pe Few Mans ill be deducit to the personis, or personis to quhome the saidis Mans or Glebis is set in Few, Secundum ratam, and siclike, that the Fewar haue sufficient Action aganis the settar of the said Mans and Gleib, for sa mekle murea siluer, as he pauid to the settar the time of the setting thereof, Secundum ratam, as said is.

Agent the establishing of the Regiment in case at Goddis plesure that charge ge bark, during the Kingis Maiesteis Minoritie. Cap. vi.

Q R S A M E K L E As sen the Coronacioun of pe Kingis Maiestie, our Souerane Lord, the charge of Regiment of his hienes Realme & liegis, his being wort helie occuppit and administrat by divers Nobil me, being of the number of thame quhilikis as nominate and contentit in the Commission of pe Quene his hienes Mocher maid & geuin pe time of the dimissioun of hir Crowne in his Maiesteis fauouris, & electit allowit, and approuit by the Estates of Parliament for the time. And now my Lord Regentis grace, and thre Estates of this present Parliament, consideringe in how schort space sa mony Nobill men, his hienes derrest freindis, & approuit weillwillaris, at departit this life for the maist part, by violent meaus of thair enemis, becaus of thair constant profession & maintenance of the Authoritie of our Souerane Lord, sa as the number of personis contentit in the said Commission now leuing, & remauning obedient to our Souerane Lord (being few) may outhier be natirall, or violent deith, at Goddis plesure be takin awa, during his Maiesteis Minoritie. Zit to the effect, that his hienes, his said Realme and liegis shall not thow ony occasioun be destitute of Regiment. **CIT IS** thairfori suudin, declarit, statute, and ordanie be our Souerane Lord, his hienes Regent, the thre Estates, and haill

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body of this present Parliament, that how soone, and how oft it shall happen in the Regiment of this Realme to bairn, during his hies Minorite foirsaid, it shalbe lauchfull to the Estatis comenand, to elect ony ane person of the Nobilitie, professing the truw Religioun, and that hes geyni prof of his gude affectione thereto, and to the statut of our Souerane Lord, libertie, quietnes, and comoditie weill of this Realme, to the said office, and charge of Regencie. ¶ Inhill Election with the Acceptacion, Actis, and proceedingis of pe person or personis to be Electit, shalbe lauchfull, perfite, and sufficiell, althoche that shal not happen to be of the number specifyit and containit in the said Commission. ¶ Inhill election of Comissioner of Althoche the possessouris of Benefices, Pensions, Portiounis, and vederis Ecclesiastical rentis, lyand at the horne attour the space of zeir and day. Cap. vii.



¶ OR SAM BKE, As be the Lawis of this Realme, speciallie be Act of Parliament holdin in the Regne of mynchile King James the fyfth, our Souerane Lordis Budscht, of worthie Memorie, It is fund, that the use in times bygane has bene, that pe Mairies and deuteis of the landis of chame that hes bene zeir and day at the horne, holdin of vtheris Superioritis than the King, returnit agane to the Superioritis of the samyn landis, for pe lifetyme of thame that sustenit sic proces of horne, zeir and day, as said is, excepte crynis of cresoun and lesemaistrie, and that the Law full sa be Interpret and vsit, like as at mair leuch is contente in pe samyn Act. ¶ Inhill has bene gret feir and terrorur to all heritoris of landis to incur the said proces of horning, during the tyme foirsaid, and therfore for saffre of thair liferent has done diligence, and vsit all gude meanis to obtene thame spedelie relaxit, quhen euer paix happenit to incur the said pane. ¶ It becaus the Law was not equall, as leist had not resaunt the like execution aganis the possessouris of Benefices, Pensions, Portiounis, or vther Ecclesiastical Rentis: The gretter contempt of horning has bene in sic personis quhillis thinking thair leusingis inna danger, thow thair disobedience, contineunce in thair Budscht, and vsit na diligence to get thame selfis relaxit, quhill maid the said pane of horning contempnfull in times bypast. ¶ ¶ OR remeid of the quhill abuse heirester, our Souerane Lord, with assit of my Lord Regentis grace, pe the Estatis, and haill bodie of this present Parliament, declaris, statutis and ordanis, that gis ouir possessouris of Benefices, Pensions, Portiounis, or vther sic Ecclesiastical rentis, being ordour he demurrit Rebells, and put to the horne, remanis thair attour the space of zeir & day, thay shall thairby tyne thair liferent of thair Benefices,

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Benefices, Penisiduns, Portiounis, or other Ecclesiasticall Rent, siclike, and in the samyn maner as the Temporall men and heritoris of landis dois, and according to the Act maid in our Souerayne Lordis derrest Gudschoris Regne.

Approbacion of the Actis and proceedingis done in Name and Authoritie of our Souerayne Lord, and of the Invalidise of all thingis attemptis in Name, or be cul-
lour of ony other Authoritie sen his hienes Coronacion.

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FOR SAM EK LB, As sen the Coronacion of the Kingis Ma-
iestie, our Souerayne Lord, dixeris Rebellious Insurreccionis,
tressonabill conspiracieis, oppm Hostiliteis, and disobedienis he
bene raisit aganis his hienes Authoritie and Regentis, tending to
the subuersioun of CHRISTIS Religion, the deposing of his
Maiestie from his Ropall Crown, and the confusioune of the haill
estat of the commoun weill of this Realme. For resisting and re-
pressing of the quhilkeis tressonabill, rebellious, and dangerous In-
terprysis, and saiftie and preseruation of our Souerayne Lordis
Innocent personn, his Regentis Nobilitie, and Estatis professing
his obedience, he bene oft times constrainit to wte the proces, Juge-
ment, and execution of his hienes Lawis, as alwa force and ho-
stilitie aganis his hienes declarit Traitoris, Rebellis and diso-
bedient subiectis, thair assistaris, and pertakarig. **CHAI R**
F O I R it is statut and ordanit be our Souerayne Lord, with anise
of his Lord Regentis grace, the thre Estatis, and haill bodie of his
present Parliament, that all Procesis, Judgementis, and tretu-
dounis of his hienes Lawis, led, gerin, and maid in his Maiesties
Name Crimallie, or Ciuillie, sen his hienes Coronacion fo-
said, onther in Parliament, parle, Counsall, Justice Courtis, Hels-
soun, and College of Justice, Cheker, or before the Schireffis,
Stewartis, Baillies, Provostis, Aldermen, and Baillies of Bur-
rowis; and otheris Judges and Ministeris of Lawis quhatsume-
ver. And all deedes of hostilitie inraising and conductioun of men
of wry, Battellis, Confliccis, and otherwapis, tunzing of mo-
ney, taking, and fortification of Townis, Castellis, Palaces,
Places, Housis, and Policeis, Birning, destruccioun, and demo-
lischeing thereof, Intelligences, Treacieis, and Contractis maid
with quhatsumuer Forane Princes, or thair Lieutenantis or Mi-
nisteris, Inbringing of straigetis in the Townis, and otheris par-
tis of this Realme, Victomission with monie, Municounis, and
moniabill endis, bytakig of rentis, raking and detening of prelo-
neris, Ransounis, butingis, raising of Tartis, Impolitounis, and
otheris quhatsumuer done be ony Souerayne Lordis Regentis Nobili-
tie, & otheris subiectis professing his obedience, aganis the saidis
declarit Traitoris, Rebellis, or disobedient subiectis, thair assistaris

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per takaris quhatsumeuer, at ony tyme sen our Souerane Lordis Coronacioun, and befoir thay obteinit remissionis therefore, as alswa all Intromission with ony of thair leuingis, gudis, geir, plessingis, and vtheris being within thair housis, or upon thair landis or rowmes notwithstanding quhatsumeuer Assignacioun tyll, or entres pat ony vther persounis may acclame or pretend thereto, & all pat followit, or shall happen to follow thereupon, hes bene, is, and in all tyme cuming salbe repute, haldin, and estemit as lauchfullie done, and as gude and profitabill seruice for his Maiestie tending to the preseruation of the estait of Cristiane Religion, the Ropall persoun and Crowne of our Souerane Lord, resisting and repressing of his saidis Rebellious and Inobedient subiectis, and qupeying of the countrie. And that the saidis Regentis and Nobilitie, and vtheris subiectis, thair assistaris and pertakaris shall incur na skairch or danger thairthow, in thair persounis, landis, or gudis, nor shall not be callit nor accusit for the samin, criminallie nor civillie, be ony maner of way in tyme cuming. Dischargeing be this present Act all and sundrie his Maiesties Judges, and Ministeris of his Lawis present, and to cum thereof, and of thair offices in that part for euer. And this Act to be amfullie extendit and Interpret in the favouris of all sic as professit our Souerane Lordis Authoritie, and obedience, aganis thame quhilkis war disobedient thereto, pair assistaris and pertakaris. And in like maner it is declarit and determined be our said Souerane Lord, his dearest Regent, the thre Estatis, and haill bodie of this present Parliament, that all pretendit Processis, Judgementis, and executionis of Lawis criminall, or emill, outher in pretendit Parliamentis, counsall, or befoir Schir-efist, Srewartis, Baillies, Provostis, Aldermen, Baillies of Burrowis, or vtheris Judges, or Ministeris of Lawis quhatsumeuer, in Name, or be cultour of ony vther Authoritie sen our Souerane Lordis Coronacioun foirsaid, hes bene, is, and in all tyme cuming, salbe repute, haldin, and estemit as vnlauchfull, usurpit, vane, and of na force, strenght, nor effect: and to haue na maner execution for ony tyme bygane, or to cum, without ony Proces of reduction.

¶Ancient purchesing of the Paipis Bullis, or giftis of the Quene our Souerane Lordis Mother. Cap. ix.

FOR SAME KLE; As be Act of Parliament haldin at Edinburgh the rruij. day of August, the zeir of God ane thousand, fife hundred, thre score zeiris, ratifit, and apprenit be Act of Parliament haldin the first zeir of the Regne of our Souerane Lord, that now is. It was statute, & ordanit that the Bisshop of Ronie, callit the Pape, suld haue na Jurisdiccioun, nor Authoritie within this Realme in ony tyme thairefter. And pat name of the subiectis of his

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Realme in ony time thairefter, suld sute, or desire tytle, or richt of pe
said Bisshop of Rome, or his sect, to ony thingis within this Re-
alme vnder the panis of Barratrie, that is to say, proscriptioun, ba-
nischement, and never to bruk office, honour, nor dignicie within
this Realme, like as is contenit at mair lenth in the said Act, sen pe
quhilk time dineris the subiectis of this Realme, hes wickitlie, and
contempnandie purchest the said Papis Bullis, dispensatiounis,
letteris, and privilegeis at Rome, or hes causit counterfate pe samin
in Flanderis, or vtheris partis, with antedaitis. As also sum v-
theris hes purchest, or contrafatit giftis, and Prouisiounis of Be-
nefices, with antedaitis, or blankis, as maid be the Quene Mo-
ther to our Souerane Lord, Intending be sic fals & culourit mea-
nis, to bruk the tytle, and possessioun of Benefices, or Pensiounis
after the deceis of the present possessouris thairof. And chairthow
baith to defraude our Souerane Lord of his richt, and Patronage,
and also, the qualifpit persounis professing the crew Religioun, of
thair leuingis quhairupon thay suld be sustenit, gif remeid be not
prouydit thairintill. **C**IT IS therefore decernit, and declarit be
our Souerane Lord, with auise and consent of my Lord Regentis
grace, the thre Estatis, and haill body of this present Parliament,
that all persounis suspectit to hane ony fals contrafatit blankis,
and antedaitit Bullis, Prouisiounis, Confirmationis of Fewis,
Takkis, or giftis of Benefices, Pensiounis furth of Benefices, co-
moun Kirkis, or landis, Almuellis and freir landis salbe callit,
quhen it sal pleis our Souerane Lord and his said Regent, to com-
peir, befoir sic of the preue Counsall or vtheris that salbe constitute
Commissionaris in Ecclesiastical causis be his hienes Commissioli,
at sic day, or davis as thay shall appoint: bringand with thame
thair saidis Bullis, Prouisiounis, Confirmationis of Fewis,
Takkis, and giftis of Benefices, and vtheris befoir specifpit, to
sene, and considerit gif the samin be lauchfull tytillis, and ordon-
lie past, and be worthie to serue, and haue faith in time cumming or
not, and in case the peces producit be fund lauchfull, and sufficiencie,
the samin to be Registrat, markit, and to haue full faith, and vali-
ditie in time cumming. And gif the samin salbe fundin to haue
bene purchest in Rome sen the said xxiij. day of August, the zeir of
God ane thousand five hundreth, thre leuir zeiris, or vtherwapis to
haue bene contrafatit, antedaitit, or purchest blank sensyne, to be
decernit, and declarit be the saidis Commissionaris null, Invalide,
and Insufficient, and to mak na faith in time cumming, but ony
farther Proces of Reductioun. And in case the persounis being
chargeit to compeir for produccon of thair saidis Bullis Prouisi-
ounis, Takkis, Confirmationis, giftis and vtheris befoir speci-
fпит failze thairin, being lauchfullie chargeit sa to do, decret salbe

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gevin aganis thame, declairand the samin Bullis, Provisiounis, Takkis giftis and vtheris abone expremit to be nul, Inualide, and Insufficient in all time cumming, and it salbe lauchfull to dispone the samin of new, notwithstanding ony allegiance of validitie that after may be proponit.

Ane Approbationn of the Act maid, anent the dispositionoun of Benefices to the ministeris of Christis Euangell. Cap. v.

I T E M Becaus thair hes bene sum questioun baith befoir the Lordis of Heslioun, and Commissaris of Edinburgh, anent the declaratioun of the Act, and ordinance maid be the Quene, our Souerane Lordis Mother, with auise of the Lordis of Secrett Counsell for the time and thairefter ratifit in Parliament, anent the dispositionoun of all Benefices, not exceeding thre hundreth markis of zeirlie rent, or within, to qualefpyt Ministeris. Quhilk Act our Souerane Lord, with auise and consent of my Lord Regentis grace, the thre Estatis, and haill body of this present Parliament ratifis, approuis, and confirmis: ordinand the samin to haue full effect fra the day, and dait thairof, notwithstanding ony exceptionoun proponit, or to be proponit of none publication of the said Act. Seing the Quene, our Souerane Lordis mother was sworne thairin, In verbo principis, never to cum in the contrair thairof. And that the said Act hes generallie takin effect, sen the making of the samin, prouyding alwapis, that this present Act preiudge not the lawit Patrons.

Anene thame that sustenit the proces of Excommunication. Cap. vi.

HE Quhilk day our Souerane Lord, with auise of my Lord Regentis grace, the thre Estatis, and haill body of this present Parliament, statutis and ordanis, that aganis all personis Excommunicate be ordour of the trew Reformit Kirk within this Realme, letteris salbe direct be the Lordis of Counsall in all the four Formes, at the Instance of the partie, our Souerane Lordis Aduocate, or the Procuratouris of the Kirk, chargeing the Excommunicate personis (thay being Excommunicate fourtie dayis) to satisfie the sentence or decret pronouncit aganis thame, & to recounsall thame selfis to the Kirk, and submit thame selfis to the discipline thereof, vnder the pane of Rebellioun, and gif thay failze, to put thame to the horne, with letteris of Captioun, and vtheris Executorialis to pas therupon, siclike, and in the samin maner as was gevin in the Regne of our Souerane Lordis vnguhile Guds chir, aganis thame that sustenit the proces of Cursing attour the space of fourtie dayis.

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James the Sext. fol. xij

Anent the reparacioun of the Paroche Kirkis.

Cap. xij.



OR SAM E K L E. As thair was ane Act maid in the Parliament holdin in the Moneth of Junij, the zeir of God ane thousand, five hundreth, thre score thre zeiris, declarand, that quhat sunuer ordour suld be maid and set furth be the Lordis of Secret Counsall, for vphalding and reparrelling of Kirkis, and Kirkzairdis, and the executioun to be declarit be thame thereupon, to be sufficient, and haue als greit strench and effect, as and the samin had bene expreslie contenit in the said Act of Parliament as the samin at mair lenth propoertis. According to the quhilk ane Act of Secret Counsall was maid, for the bigging mending, and reparacioun of Paroche Kirkis, of the dait, at Scriveling the xij. day of September, the zeir of God foirsaid. Quhilk Act as zit hes not tane executioun in na place becaus of the sleuth and vnwillingnes of the Parochinmaris quhilkis war law, and refusit to cheis personis to tart thair Nichtbouris, and that alswa thair was not Kirkmaisteris or deaconis appointit in the Parochinnis to ressauie the Taratioun appointit. ¶ O R remeid quhairof our Souerane Lord, with auise of my Lord Regentis grace, the thre Estates, and haill bodie of this present Parliament, ratifis and approuis the foirsaidis Actis of Parliament, and of Secret Counsall, in all pointis, with this addition, That quhair the Parochinmaris being requirit to elect and cheis personis for making of the Taratioun, to the effect foirsaid, refusis or delapis, or quhair thair is na Kirkmaisteris or Deaconis appointit, That than the Archibischop, Bisshop, Superintendent, or Commissionar of the Kirkis in time of thair visitatioun, quhilk salbe betwix and the first day of Junij next to cum, Shall at thair discretion nominate and appoint personis in euerie Parochin, for making and setting of the Taratioun, as alswa for ressauing of the samin. And decernis and declaris the said Nomination and appointment to be sufficient, and sic like executioun sal pas for compelling of thame, as micht haue bene geuin and grantit be vertew of the said Act of Secret Counsall, in case thay had bene electit be the Parochinmaris. And becaus thair has bene diueris Paroche Kirkis within this Realme demolischit, castin downe, and destrovit, for the maist part, and that certane particular personis has applyit the stonis, tymber, and uther graith pertaining thereto, to thair awin particular use and profite.

¶ T H A I R F O I R ordanis ony ane of the Parochinmaris of sic Kirkis to gif thair complaint to the Archibischop, Bisshop, Superintendent, or Commissionar thereof, vpon sic personis as thay pleis to coniplene vpon, and thay being lauchfullie callit, and iust

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trypall takin in the said mater. And according to sufficient proba-
tion to be led and deducit thairintill, that the said Archibisshop,
Bisshop, Superintendent, or Commissionar pronounce, and gif farr
thair decret thairintill. Quhilk decret our Souerane Lord, with
auise of his said dearest Regent, and thre Estatis foitsaidis, decret-
nis, and declaris to be als sufficient, as and the samin war genin be-
fou ony Judge Ordinar. And ordanis the Lordis of Counsall
and Session, to direct letteris of horning or pointing thair-
upon, at the will and plesure of the partie, quha shall hap-
pin to coplene. And siclike our said Souerane Lord,
with auise of his said dearest Regent, the thre E-
statis, and haill body of this present Parlia-
ment, ordanis the Personis of all Pa-
roche Kirkis within this Realme, to
furneis breid and wine to the Co-
munioun, how oft the samin
Salbe Ministrat within
the samin Kirkis.

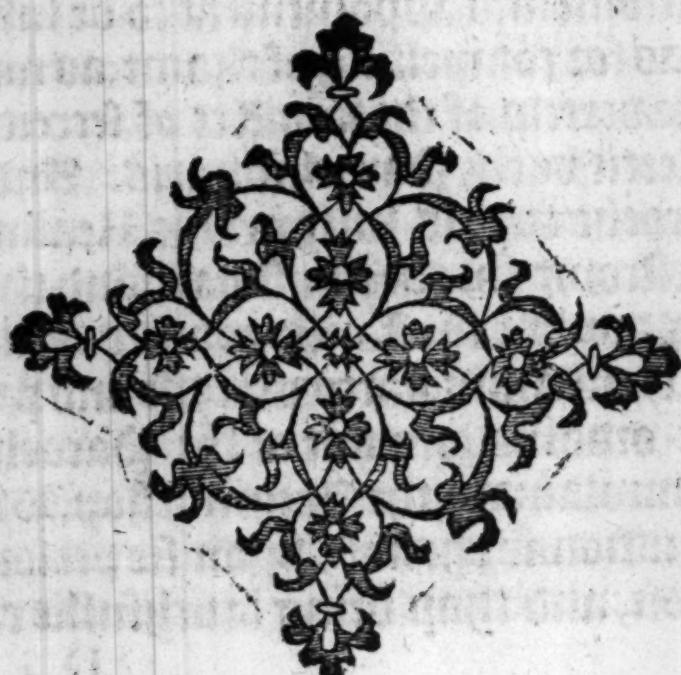
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IN THE PARLIAMENT

MADE IN AT HOLYRY. ID H O Y S. THE LAST DAY
of April; the year of God an thousand ffe hundred, the scottie
eche year. This lawis, Statutis, and Constitutiounis, acquisit, conclu-
dit, statut, and established the richt, exellent and Michtie Prince
our Souverane Lord, IAMES the Sext, be the grace of G O D
and K N G I O F S C O T T I S, with lause and consent of an No-
tisfull and Michtie Lord, and his richt Fraist Cousyn Iames
and quene of Morouay, Lord Dalketh, &c. Regent to his
Michtie, his Realme and subiectis, And the B y o D right
statis of this Realme assemblit and conue-
nit to that effect. Of the quhilkis

anent the quha Lawis and Constitutiounis the
quhilkis followis.

So god willed, that dementis fraudis being joyntis of before the
quhilkis lauchfull mariage. Cap. 1. Item 1. And in the quhilkis

This statut, and declaracis be our Souverane Lord,
and Lord Regentis grace, the thre Estatutis, and haill
bodie of this present Parliament. That in all times
happast sen the crewe and Christiane Religoun was
publike paricheit shewit, and establischt within
this Realme; nameles sen the Moneth of August, the
year of God an thousand ffe hundred, the scottie zeiris. It has bene,
is, and in all time comynge shal be lauchful. That quhatsumeuer per-
son, or personis, shal in lauchfull Matrimonie, husband or
wife, diuertis fra btharis compaie without ane resonabill caus
alledgeit or deducit befoir the Judge, and remanis in thair malici-
ous obstatie be the space of four zeiris, and in the meane time re-
fusis all preue admonitionis. The husband or the wife, or the
wife of the husband for dew adherence. That than the husband or
the wife shall call and persew the obstatie person offendar, befoir
the Judge Ordinar for adherence. And in case na sufficient causis
be alledged quhairsoir na adherence suld be, bot that the sentence
procedis aganis the offendar, refusand to obey the samyn. The
husband or the wife shall mene thame selfis to the Superior Magi-
strate, Videlicet, the Lordis of Sessoun, and shall obtene letteris in
the four formes conforme to the sentence of adherence. Quhilk
charge being contempnit, & therefore being denuncit Rebell, and pue
to the horne, Thair the husband or the wife to sue the spiritual Ju-
risdiction and power and require the lauchfull Archibisshop, Bi-
shop, or Superintendent of the countrie quhair the offendar rema-
nis, to direct preue admonitionis to the said offendar, admonis-

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ching him or hit as befoit for adhrence. Quhilkis admonitionis
gif he or scho contempnoulie disobeys That Archibischop, Bi-
schop, or Superintendenc, To direct charged to the Minister of pat
Parochie quhair the offendar remans, or in case thair be nane, or
that the Minister will not execute, to the Minister of the next adia-
cent Kirk thairto. Quha sall proced aganis the said offendar with
publiet admonitionis and gif thair be contempn, to the sentence
of Excommunicacion. Quhilk anis being producit, the malici-
ous and obstatit defection of the partie offendar to be ane suffici-
ent caus of divorce, and the said partie offendar to clyne and lois
thair Tocher, Esdourances proper Nuptialis, cisis M.

Anent the hamebringing of wyne and prises thairto. Cap. vi.

HE Quhilk day it was statut and ordanit be our
Souverane Lord, with ause and consent of my Lord
Regentis grace, the thre Estatis, and haill bodie of
this present Parliament That no other of personis
or personis within this Realme, stranger nor beth-
eris quhatsiever, bring haill within the realm, Re-
alme, or to be sauld to all our Souverane Lordis gis of the prises
and in maner following. That twelv shillings to the Toun of Baderne
wine, and Baderne wine to be sauld for twentie four pundis the Toun, and
the pinte thereof to be sauld for twelf pence. The Toun of Haule-
popis wine to be sauld for twentie two punds the Toun, and the
pinte to be sauld for twelf pence. The Toun of Cunzeal wine
growand within the Reialme of Schotland for the entie punds the
Toun, and the pinte thereof to be sauld for twelf pence. And the
Toun of Rotheil wine to be sauld for twentie four pundis the Toun,
and the pinte thereof to be sauld for ancht pence. And that the
said pinte be of the meassure of Breming. And this Act to Indure
for the space of thre years next and immediatly following the first
day of August next to cum, vnder the paine of confisacion of the
haill wine, the twa part to the Kingis use, and the thrid to the ap-
prehendar.

Anent the transyding of Salt farr of this Realme. Cap. vii.

OR SAME KLE; As it is understand, the greit &
exhabitant prises, the small Salt is laitlie commis to
within this Realme. Quhilk heretofoir has never
bene sene or hard within the same. And thair is na
ressoun that the said strange deth and noueltie shuld
be suffitit to contine wþ but the occasioun thereof to be
tymouslie reinedit. **C**HAIR OF our Souverane Lord with
ause and consent of his Verrest Regent, the thre Estatis, and haill
bodie

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ode of this present Parliament, statutis and ordanis, That na
small Salt be transportit furth of this Realme at ony tyme hereaf-
ter, in the leist for the space of thre yeare, nor after the datt of this
present Act, vnder the paine of confiscacion of the Salt, as alswa
of the Schippis, bescalles, and vtheris mony albgudis of the per
sonnes transportaris thereof: C R O V I D I N C. It maynt, that
the paine of this Act exceed not agaynstrangaris of Norrosway, &
vtheris of the East partis, anhilk byngis in myniboroups Realme,
for anhilk shal an paillegeit be this present Act to transport Salt
for the exchange of thair money, conforme to the Actis maid of be
fore, in thair vngage to myt, as alswa is ment. Item dicitur
Item, gauen the measure of Salmon and Hering Barrellis. Cap. iii.

I T E M Forsamekle as it is considerit, that be packking of
Salmon, Hering, and quhyte fisches be the Mer-
chandis, and vtheris Inhabitantis of vis Realme, That a greit
hurt and dampnage sustenit be the byaris thereof, and greit scande-
der sustans the haill Nation throu the defaute of a few number
in sa far as euerie traffiquer with his Merchandis causis the Cow-
peris mak his Barrellis, and treis of sic quantite as he plesis, for
his awin particular profite, not keipad thairin ane uniuersall mea-
sure. AND chartoir it is statute and ordanit be our Souerane
Lord, with ame and consent of his derrest Ragent, the thre Esta-
tis, and haill bodie of this present Parliament, That euerie Sal-
mon Barrel to be maid heirefter shall contene twelf gallounis of pe
Striuling pwt, and that euerie Barrell of Hering & quhite fische
contene myre gallounis of the samyn stop. And that the Cowper
maker of the Barrell, shall burne and mark the samyn with his
awin proper mark, so that the byar may be assuris the samyn con-
tenis sic quantiteis. And quha cuer failzeis heirin, being callit and
convict thairof, salbe punischt according to the Lawis maid thair-
upon of befoir.

Item, gauen the measure of Salmon and Hering Barrellis. Cap. v.

Item, gauen the Annuellis to be payit of brunt and demolischt housis and Tenementis
within the Burgh of Edinburgh, Cannogait, and vtheris Suburbes thairabout
the tyme of thir lait troublis. Cap. v.

I T E M Forsamekle as it is considerit the heuie dampnage
and skaitis sustenit be the Neighbouris of Edin-
burgh, Cannogait, and vtheris the Suburbes thairabout, Quha
left thair landis, & heritages, and gudis for acknowledging our
Souerane Lordis maist Just Authorite, Be the anhilk thair lan-
dis, & heritages was demolischt wrakkis, and brunt, be his hie-
nes declarit Traitors & Rebels, being within the Castell and
Burgh of Edinburgh, and thair assistaris. The saidis landis
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being addecte in Lindrie Annuellatis. Quhilkis personis haue
comis of the saidis Annuellis, as now per se and the saidis landis
for the bponis addecte haue no withstanding than ar demouish-
it and brunt as farr as . **THE AIR FOIR** our Souerane Lord;
with chise and pollent of my Lord Regentis grace, the the Estat-
is, and haill bodie of this present Parliament, declaris the saidis
landis to be and demolischt as said is, not to be oblyst to mak to a
plete payment of the Annuellis awin furth therof. For the samin
to be defalkit according to the Actis maid of befoir, and the pay-
ment of the Annuellis awin furth of the landis lyand within the
said Burgh, brunt of befoir be the power of Ingland, then Cne-
meis to this Realme. And the partis awaris of the saidis An-
nuellentis not to haue farther Actionis, but according to the Act of
Parliament mandament the payment of Annuellis awin furth of
the saidis brunt landis. Seing the demolition foirsaid is done
Deweourane Lordis declarit Cratouris, quhilk is alike to the
personis dampnager, as gif the samin had bene done be forane
Enemis. **PROVIDING** this Act extend to nane bot to sic as
assiste and take part with our Souerane Lord, during the time of
thir late troublis, and continebis thairin. **gauen the transporting of forbiddin gudis out of this Realme.** **Cap. vi.**

ITEM It is statute, and ordanit be our Souerane Lord,
with anise and consent of my Lord Regentis grace,
the the Estatis, and haill bodie of this present Parliament, That
the Actis and statutis maid of befoir aganis the carping of forbid-
din gudis furth of this Realme, be diligentlie put to executioun in
time comynge. And siclike that nane of the subiectis of this Realme
tak upon hand to carte or transport furth of this Realme ony ma-
nur of Lynning claih, Linget seid, maid Candell or other Talloü
quhatsumuer, eitring Butter, Cheis, Barkit Hedes, or maid
Schone, vnder the pane of escheit thereof, and the haill remenant
gudis of the byaris, and transportaris thereof to our Souerane
Lordis use.

**Anent the slaunchter of Hering and quhyte fische, and vsing of the
samin thairefter.** **Cap. vii.**

ITEM Forsamekle as it is heuile complenit how that the
haill slavaris of all kinde of fisches within this
Realme, not regarding the Actis maid be our Souerane Lordis
decreit Predecessouris of befoir, Quhilk is, that quhen Hering and
quhyte fische is slane, than auche to bring the samin to the nre
adiacent Burrowis, and Townis quhair the personis slavaris
thairof dwellis, to the effect that our Souerane Lordis liegis may
be firs.

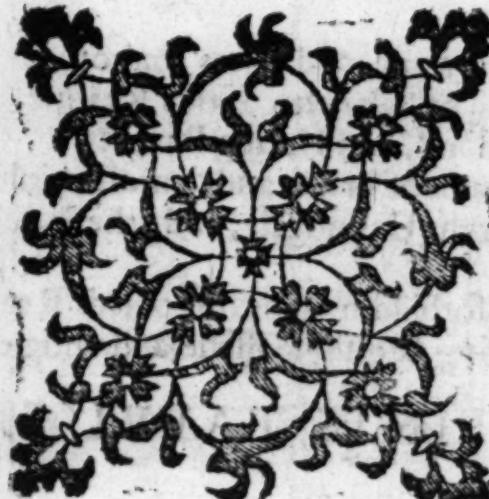
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be first servit, and gif abundance occurrit, that thay mycht be sal-
tit, and transpoxit be fre Burgessis. Throw none doing of the
quhilk, our Souerane Lord is greitlie defraudit of his Customes,
and his hienes liegis wantis the frute of the Sep, appointit be
GOD for thair nurischemet, and the Burgessis and fre men of
Burrowis disappointit of thair traffique and commoditie.

¶ T H A I R F O I R our Souerane Lord with auise and consent
of my Lord Regentis grace, the thre Estatis, and haill bodie of vs
present Parliament, Ordanis, that all maner of Fischeris that
occuppis the Sep, and vtheris personis quhatsumeuer that hap-
pynis to stan Hering or quhite fische vpon the Coist, or within the
Ilis, or outwith the samin, within the Syrthis. Bring thame to
fre Portis, thair to be sauld commounlie to all our Souerane
Lordis liegis, and the rest to fre men, quhairby his Maie-
steis Customes be not defraudit, and his hienes liegis
not frustrat of the commoditie appointit to thame be
GOD, vnder the pane of confiscatioun and tyn-
sall of the veschellis of thame that cumis in
the contrair heirof, and escheting of all
thair mouabill gudis to our So-
uerane Lordis use.

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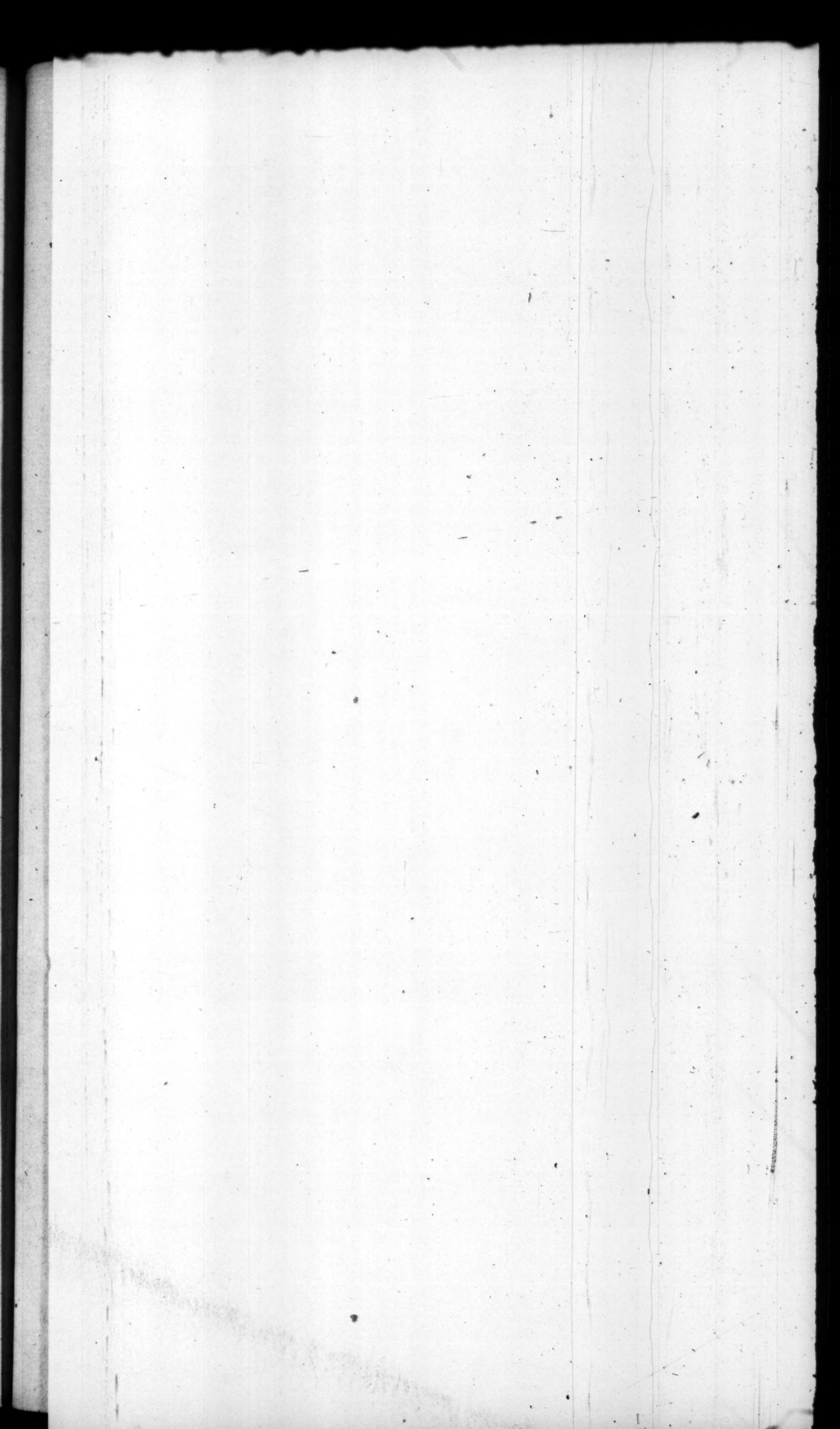
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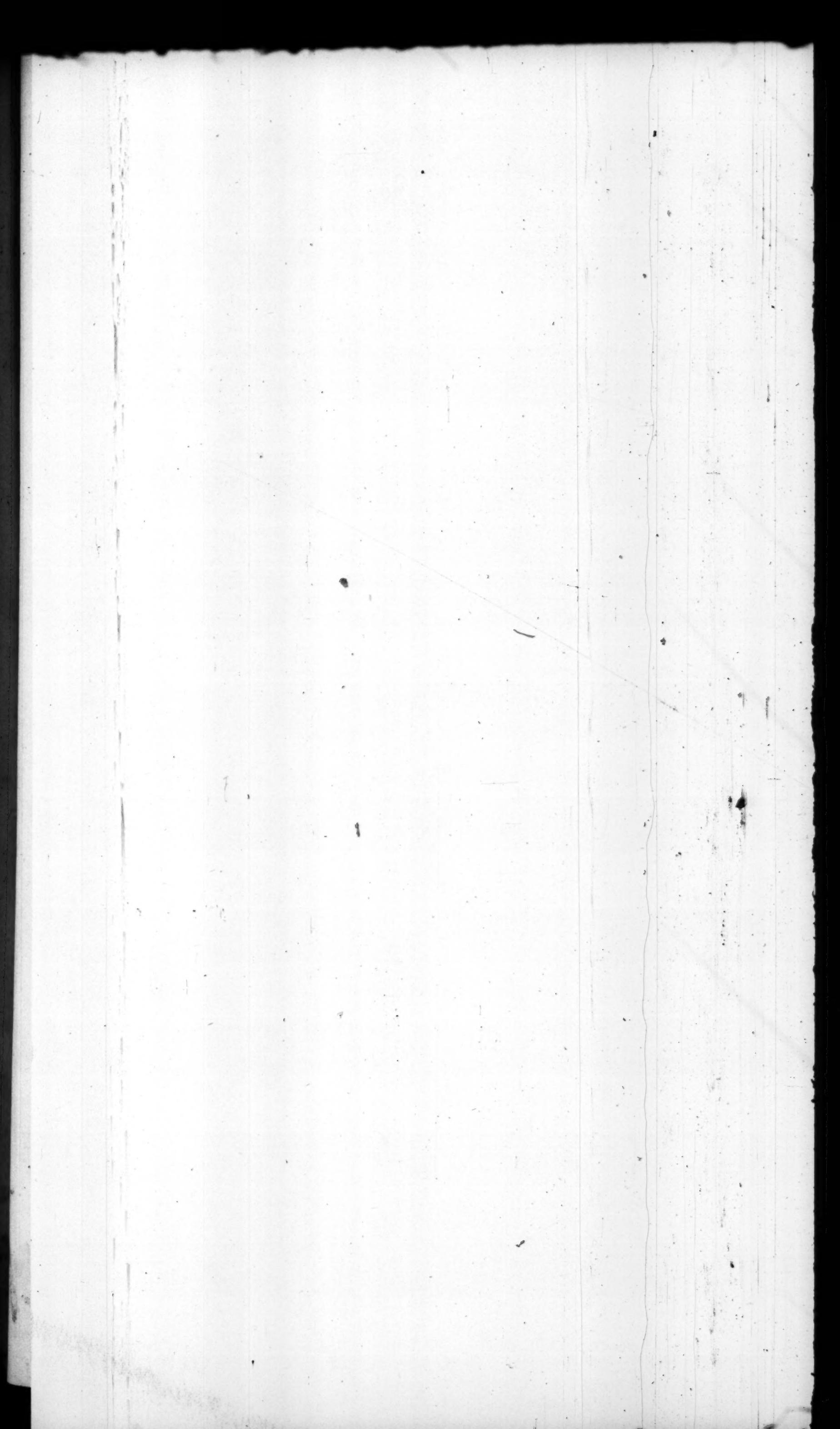
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thre scoir and achtene zeiris. Thit Lawis, statutis,
and Constitutiounis ar deuysit, ordanit, and con-
cludit be the richt Excellent, richt heich,
and michtie Prince I A M E S the Sext;
be the grace of God KING of
SCOTTIS, and thre E-
statis of this Realme;
as followis:

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